MIDDLETOWN, DELAWARE, SATURDAY MORNING, FEBRUARY 19, 1876.

Hew Advertisements. POSTPONED

PUBLIC SALE. The subscriber, intending to discontinue farming, will sell at public sale, at the Brick House Farm, near Harman's mill, 2 of a mile north of Townsend, Del., on

Tuesday, February 22nd, 1876,

the following very desirable personal pr 7 Head, Horses and Colts.

No. 1. Belle, bay mare, 8 years old, 15 hands high, sound and very gentle, perfectly safe for a lady to drive, fearless of the locomotive, and can trot a mile in three minutes, and is with foal by "Captain," owned by L. P. McDowell, Esq., Middletown, Del.

No. 2. Viola, a handsome light bay mare, 7 years old, 15 hands high, sound and very gentle, a superior driver, will work anywhere, is fearless of the locomative, and can trot close to 3:30.

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No. 3. Lucy, a beautiful chestnut sorrel mare coming 5 years old, 15\(\frac{1}{2}\) hands high, sound and very gentle, fearless of the loco-motive, trots well now, and if properly trained, I think will trot a mile a year hence

in 3 minutes.

No. 4. Lady, a light bay mare, 12 years old, 15½ hands high, sound, fearless of locomotive, a good driver and will work any-

WAGONS, FARMING IMPLEMENTS, &C WAGONS, FARMING IMPLEMENTS, &C.

I first-rate farm wagon, in perfect order;
I first-rate road sulkey, I light buggy wagon,
I light mill dearborn, nearly new; I horse
cart as good as new, I carriage tongue, I
sleigh, I corn sheller, I telegraph feed cutter,
2 sets single harness in good order, 2 sets of
wagon harness in good order, 2 sets of
wagon harness in good order, 1 set light
double harness good as new, several sets of
plough gears, collars, bridles, harrows,
ploughs, cultivators, hoes, forks, shovels,
spades and other articles not enumerated.

Will also sell a part of my Household and
Kitchen Furniture.

RICHARD TOWNSEND, W. A. HUKILL, Auctioneer. feb5-2t

PUBLIC SALE.

Tuesday, February 29th, 1876. AT 12 O'CLOCK M..

his entire stock and farming utensils, to wit 3 Horses.

No. 1. TRUSS—a bay horse, 11 years old good family driver; can trot in less than four No. 2. BLACK SOUTHERNER—a black

horse, 7 years old, a good driver, and can trot in less than four minutes. No. 3. MOSCOW—a very fine young bay, coming four years old, kind and gentle in both single and double barness, sired by Old

8 HEAD OF GOOD MILCH COWS, most of them coming into profit soon; 1 yearling calf. 6 head of shoats.

FARMING UTENSILS.

1 farm wagon, 1 mill wagon, 1 two-seated carriage, 1 carriage tongue, 1 drill, 1 mower, 1 horse rake, two sets of single carriage harness, one of which is nearly new; 1 set of double carriage harness, 1 corn sheller, (Pennocks); plows, harrows, cultivators, wagon and plogh harness, forks, shovels, hoes, &c.

Lot of pickled pork. 100 bushels seed oats 50 bushels early rose potatoes

TERMS—All sums of \$20 and under, cash All sums over \$20, a credit of eight months will be given by the purchaser giving aegotiable note with approved endorser, interest added, payable at the Citizens' National Bank of Middletown, Del.

W. J. ELIASON.

S. M. ENOS, Auctioneer. fe5-4t

MIDDLETOWN

Clothing House.

SELLING OFF AT COST.

NOW IS THE TIME TO BUY YOUR WINTER CLOTHING.

If You want them Cheap.

OVERCOATS BELOW COST

UNDER CLOTHING BELOW COST.

Coats that we sold at \$10 we are now selling Suits that we sold at \$15 we are now selling at \$12.

A large assortment of Hats and Caps on hand. You will find all of this at the New Clothing House. feb 12-tf S. R. ESTES & CO.

FOUTZ' FIRE

HORSE AND CATTLE POWDERS For Sale in Middletown

Clarence Anderson's Drug Store.

Nov27 -tf HOUSE FOR SALE.

The commodious and comfortable residence—with shade trees, lawn, garden, carriage house, stable, &c., one mile south of Middletown—known as St. Anne's Rectory.

Apply to either of the Vestry, or to feb 12-2t Rev. WILLIAM C. BUTLER.

Visiting cards, extra fine, and of the most fashionable styles, can be had, beautifull printed, for seventy-five cents per package of fifty cards, at the Transcener office.

Middletown Directorn.

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No. 5. Morgan, a fine bay colt coming 3 years old, good style and action, and will make a good horse.

No. 6. Fanny Fern, a fine sorrel colt coming 1 year old, fast trotting stock.

No. 7. Daniel Boone, a beautiful black stallion colt coming 1 year old, Joe Lane stock) fine style and action.

1 pair bay mules, 8 years old, 15½ hands high, sound and very gentle, will work anywhere, and just the kind of mules for a farmer to buy.

CATTLE.

5 cows, four of them giving milk, the other will be fresh soon. Also, I very fine heifer, 1½ years old. The above cattle are young and good stock.

8 very fine "Jersey Red" shoats.
Lot of potatoes and turnips.
2,000 bushels good blades.

WAGONS, FARMING IMPLEMENTS, &C.

MASONIC. ADONIRAM CHAPTER NO. 5, R. A. M. Meets in Masonic Hall on the second and fourth Fridays of every month at 8 o'clock, p m. Union Longe No. 5, A. F. A. M. Meets on the first and third Tuesdays of every month at 8 o'clock, p. m. Masonic Hall.

KNIGHTS OF PYTHIAS.

DAMON LODGE, No. 12 Meets every Friday evening at 8 o'clock. Lodge room in the Town Hall. PATRONS OF HUSBANDRY. PEACH BLOSSOM GRANGE, No. 3. Meets every uesday evening at 7 o'clock. Grange Room a the Knights of Pythias Hall.

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BUILDING AND LOAN.

MIDDLETOWN LIBRARY AND READING-ROOM.

E W. Lockwood, Pres.; J. T. Budd, Sec'y; Rooms in Taanscurr Building. Reading-Room open every day until 10 o'clock, p m. Library open on Wednesdays and Saturdays from 3 o'clock to 5 p m.

AGRICULTURAL ASSOCIATION. PENINS. AGRICULTURAL AND POMOLOGICAL Association.—Wm. R. Cochran, President and Chairman of Board of Managers; J. B. Clarkson, Secretary. Annual Meeting fourth Saturday in January. Next annual fair will be held on October 4th, 5th and 6th, 1876.

DIAMOND STATE BRASS BAND. her cheeks were pale, and the whole

POST OFFICE.

Office Hours.—Opens at 6 30 am and closes at 9 p m every day except Sunday Mails for the North close at 7.30 am, and Mail for the South closes at 10 15 a m.

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Mails for Odessa close at 10.23 a m and

m.
Mails for Warwick, Sassatras and Cecilton

DELAWARE RAILROAD Passenger trains going North leave at 7.46 a m and 3 01 p m.; going South at 10.33 a m and 7.55 p m. Freight trains with passenger car attached, going North, leave at 5.20 p m; going South, at 6.30 a m.

STAGE LINES. Stage for Odessa, with U. S. Mail, leaves shortly after arrival of the 10.43 am and 7.55 p m mail trains.
Stages for Warwick, Sassafras and Cecilton leave shortly after arrival of the 10.43 a m train.

DISSOLUTION.

THE co-partnership heretofore existing between J. B. Fenimore and G. E. Hukill, J. B. FENIMORE & CO.,

J. B. FEATHBOARD as the state of the late firm will be settled by G. E. Hukill, who is authorized to sign the firm property of the late firm will be settled by G. E. Hukill, who is authorized to sign the firm the late of t

Having disposed of my entire interest in the Lumber and Hardware business, lately carried on by J. B Fennone & Co., to my former partner, G. E. Hukill, I take pleasure in giving this public expression of my gratitude to my former friends and the public generally for the very liberal patronage continually enjoyed by the late firm and respectfully ask a continuance of the same to its successor, feeling assured that the business will be so uniformly conducted in the future as to merit a similar confidence. J. B. FENIMORE.

Middletown, Del., Feb. 1st, 1876—4t

THE UNDERSIGNED HAVING PUR-THE UNDERSIGNED HAVING PURchased the entire interest of J. B. FENIMORE, in the late firm of J. B. FENIMORE
& CO., will continue the lumber and hardware business at the old stand, opposite the
Railroad depot, Middletown, where he will
keep on hand a general stock of all kinds of
building material, and hopes through constant, personal attention to business and fair
dealing to merit a good share of the public
patronage, which has been so generously bestowed on the old firm.

[See advertisement in another column.]

Select Boetry.

THE BLUE AND THE GRAY.

When the mad passions of the war, which ought to have been laid aside a full decade ago, are sought to be again aroused by the Blaines and Mortons of the North, by flaunting the shirt of sanguinary hue in the national halls of Cougress, it will not be amiss to read with profit the following anoaymous lines:

"I am in the 11ght path "said Lize."

"O, mother what do you mean by the bl And what do they mean by the gray?"
Was heard from the lips of a little child,
As she bounded in from her play.
The mother's eyes filled up with tears,
As she turned to her darling fair,
And smoothed away from the sunny brow
Its treasures of golden hair.

"Why mother's eyes are blue my child, And grandpa's hair is gray. And the love we bear our darling one Grows stronger every day." "But what did they mean?" persisted child.

"For I saw two cripples to-day,
And one of them said he fought for the blue;
The other he fought for the gray."

"Now, he of the blue had lost a leg,
The other had but one arm,
And both seemed worn and weary and sad
Yet their greeting was kind and warm.
They told of battles in days gone by—
Till it made my young blood thrill;
The leg was lost in the Wilderness fight,
And the arm on Malvern Hill.

"They sat on the stone by the farmyard gate
And talked for an hour or more,
Till their eyes grew bright, and their heart
so warm,
While fighting their battles o'er;
And parting at last with a friendly grasp,
In a kindly, brotherly way,
Each called on God to speed the time
Uniting the blue and the gray."

Then the mother thought of other days—
Two stalwart boys from her riven—
How they knelt at her side, and, lisping prayed,
"Our Father who art in Heaven;"
How one were the gray and the other the blue,

How they passed away from sight,
And had gone to a land where gray and blu
Are merged in colors of light.

And she answered her darling with golde

hair, While her heart was sadly wrung With the thoughts awakened in that hour,

By her innocent, pratling tongue;

"The blue and the gray are colors of God,
They are seen in the sky at even,
And many a noole and gallant soul
Shall wear them united in heaven.

THE WAY TO KEEP HIM.

"Out again to-night," said Mrs. Hayes, fretfully, as her husband rose from the tea table, and donned his great

Moore; I shall be in early; have a light in the library; good night," and with a careless nod, William Hayes left "But you always say you are out of

Hayes, sinking back upon a sofa; "out every night; I don't believe he cares one bit about me now, and yet we've only been married two years. No man has a more orderly house; I am not a bit extravagant, and yet I don't believe he loves me any more. Oh! dear, why is it? I wasn't rich; he didn't marry me for money, and he must have loved me then—why does

he treat me with so much neglect?"
And with her mind filled with such fretful queries, Lizzie Hayes fell asleep on the sofa. Let me paint her figure as she lay there. She was a blonde, with a small graceful figure, and a very pretty face.
The hair, which showed by its rich into a rich knot at the back—"it was such a bother to curl it," she said—

Meets for practice every Monday evening at so clock.

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Her dress was a neat chintz wrapper, but she wore neither collar nor sleeves fireplace, her hands c Lizzie slept soundly for two hours, and then awoke suddenly. She sat up, glanced at the clock, and sighed

drearily at the prospect of the long in-terval still to be spent alone before bed-The library was just over the room in which she sat, and down the furnace

flue, through the register, a voice came to the young wife's ears; it was her bushand's: usband's:
"Well, Moore, what's a man to do?

and loving could have changed to the fretful dowdy she is now? Who wants to stay at home to hear his wife whining all the evening about her trouble-some servants, and her headache and all sorts of bother? She's got the knack of that drawling whine so pat, that, 'pon my life, I don't believe she

"You will be home to dinner?" said said, as he went out.

"Can't to-day, Lizzie. I have business out of town, but I'll be home early to tea. Have something substantial for I don't expect to dine. Good-bye,

in the right path," said Lizzie, in a low whisper "Oh! what a fool I have been for the last two years!

A "fretful dowdy! William, you shall never say so aguin."

Lizzie loved her husband with real

wifely devotion, and her lips would quiver as she thought of his confidence to his friend Moore; but, like a brave

Tea time came, and William came with it. A little figure in a tasty. bright silk dress, smooth curls, and oh! such a lovely blush and smile, stood ready to welcome William as he came in, and tea time passed as the morning

meal had done.

After tea, there was no movement, as usual, towards the hat-rack. William ood up beside the table, lingering. chatting till Lizzie arose. She led him to the light warm parlors, in their pretty glow of tasteful arrangements and drew him down beside her on the sofa. He felt as if he was courting her again as he watched her fingers busy with some needle work, and listened to the cheerful voice which he had loved

so well two years before. "What are you making, Lizzie?" "A pair of slippers. Don't you re-ember how you admired the pair I worked for you, oh! ever so long ago?"
"I remember; black velvet with
flowers on them. I used to put my
feet on the fender and dream of blue eyes and bright curls, and wish time could bring my bonnie wee wife home, to make music in my house?" Lizzie's face saddened for a moment,

as she thought of the last two years and how little music she had made for and how little music she had made for his loving heart gradually weaning it from its allegiance; then she raid:

"I wonder if you like music as much as you did then?"

"Of course I do. I often go in at Mrs Smith's for nothing also then to the state of the cistern and during the eight miles walk home.

Something was Said.

Mrs Smith's for nothing else than to

"But you always say you are out of practice when I ask you." "I had the piano tuned this morning. Now open it and you will see how it sounds." now it sounds."

William obeyed joyfully, and tossing aside her sewing, Lizzie took the piano stool. She had a sweet voice, not powerful but most musical, and was a

very fine performer on the piano."
Ballads, Lizzie?" "Oh, yes, I know you dislike opera One song after another, with a nocturne or lively instrumental piece occa-sionally between them, filled up another

our pleasantly.

The little mantel clock struck 11.

"Love you! Oh, Lizzie, you cannot guess how dearly I love you!"

And as the little wife lay down that night, she thought:

"I have won him back again! Better did you say, Cousin Mathew?"

"I did not say saysting, plied, as before.

Finally, meeting him upon the beach one morning, she again asked: "What did you say, Cousin Mathew?"

"I did not say anything," be still

I was disappointed, and I must have pleasure somewhere. Who would have fancied that Lizzie Jarvis, so sprightly keep him!"

The Tongue is a Fire.

The one thing that people will not do for you is to hold their tongues. There are moments in life when to have The one thing that people will not some servants, and her headache and all sorts of bother? She's got that, you my life, I don't believe she that, you my life, I don't believe she lil, that, you my life, I don't believe she lil, that, you my life, I don't believe she lil, that, you my life, I don't believe she lil, that, you my life, I don't believe she lil, that, you my life, I don't believe she lil, that, you my life, I don't believe she lil, that, you hat she lil, that, you will be she she she lil, that, you she lil, that, the lil, that, you she lil, that

Barnum as a Young Lover.

That was a big book P. T Barnum wrote about himself It is very com-plete, too, says the Danbury News, but here is one little incident which he either forgot to mention or which he got pied when the forms went to press. It occurred when the great showman was a young man and a resident of this section. He was paying impetuous attentions to a young lady living in Newtown. Being the son of poor but honest parents, he was obliged to walk over to the village which contained his addresd on the Sunday nights he visited adored on the Sunday nights he visited her. When there he labored under another and more awkward disadvananother and more awkward disadvanquiver as she thought of his confidence
to his friend Moore; but, like a brave
little woman, she stifled back the bitter
feelings, and tripped off to perfect her
plans. The grand piano, silent for
months, was opened, and the linen
cover taken from the furniture—Lizzie
thinking—"He shan't find any parlors
more attractive than his own. I am which he reacaed by springing from a cover of a cistern curb and catching hold of the window ledge. His egress was effected by hanging full length from the ledge and then dropping to the cistern cover, a fall of about six inches. One Sunday he took with him on the visit a young man who now carries his silvered hairs behind a Danbury grocery counter. They reached the place; the young lady saw the sig-nal, opened the window, and the famous Barnum sprang up into bliss The young man was to amuse himsel about the village until the hour of de-parture. He amused himself. It don' seem possible that any one could be so brutal, but that young man actually re-moved the cover to the cistern. Then he sat down by the fence and ate currants and calmly waited for the rest P. T. finished his sparking, and backed out of the window the full length his

out of the window the full length alshands would permit.

"Good-bye," he gasped in a whisper, as he prepared to drop.

"Good-bye, Phinny," she whispered

Then he let go, and instantly shot from sight into a yawning abyss of darness and rain water, and if he had been of solid iron heated to a white glow he could not have created more of

Something was Said.

Governor Mathew Griswold, of Conecticut, was conspicuous for the energy of his counsels and active measu during the war of the Revolution Governor Mathew, when a young man was grave, shy, tall and somewhat awkward. He courted a young lady in Durham, who put him off, delaying to give an answer in the hope that a doctor, whom she preferred, would propose. He, finally tired of his long rides on horseback, and suspecting the state of her mind, pressed for an immediate decision.

"I should like a little more time, reiterated the fair one. "Madam, I will give you a lifetime

was the lover's response; and rising with dignity, he took his leave.

The lady took her lifetime, and died single, as the doctor never came forward. Young Griswold returned to The little mantel clock struck 11.

"Eleven! I thought it was about nine. I ought to apologize, Lizzie, as I used to for staying so long; and I can truly say, as I did then, that the time passed so pleasantly I can scarcely believe it is so late."

The piano was closed, Lizzie's work put in the basket, and William was "Eleven! I thought it was about nino. I ought to apologize, Lizzie, as I used to for staying so long; and I can truly say, as I did then, that the time passed so pleasantly I can scarcely believe it is so late."

The intrie mantel clock struck I. sugget, as the determined to Lyme so deeply mortified with the failure of his suit that he was little disposed to repeat the process of love making In course of events his second cousin Ursula Wolcott, came on a visit to Black Hall. She was a modern

replied. "It is time you did," she remarked, with emphasis.

Whereupon something was said, the result of which was a wedding, and the brilliant bride had a queenly reign

paironage, which has been so generously bestowed on the old firm.

Not one fretful speech, not one complaint, fell upon William's ear through the meal. The newspaper, his usual solace during that hour, lay untouched.

JOB PRINTING

OF Every Description

The confirmed prejudices of a thoughtful life are as hard to change as the confirmed habits of an indolent ingly prevalent crime in London. It is reported that in the district of Middlesex, alone, three hundred children are subject she could think of, warming by his gratified interest and cordial manners.

The confirmed prejudices of a thoughtful life are as hard to change as the confirmed habits of an indolent life; and as some must trifle away age because they trifle away youth, others must labor on in a maze of error, because they have wandered there too long to find their way out —Bolingbroke.

Philip Sidney.

He Won His Case.

Alexander Stephens, of Georgia, tells this story: A Dr. Royston, doubtless a most excellent man, had sued Peter Bennet, a farmer, for his bill. "Little "Gratitude is the memory of the Aleck," as Alexander is minified by his friends, told his client, Peter B., that the case of service and its value were proved against him in legal form, and that there was no real defense. But should "speak to the case." Mr. Stephens told him that he ought to speak himself if he thought a speech could be made, and was surprised by the retort: "I will, if Bobby Toombs promised, and Peter Bennett began: "Gentlemen of the jury, I ain't no lawyer and no doctor, and you ain't, nuther. And if we farmers don't stick together, these here lawyers and doctors will get the advantage of us. I ain't the Merchant of Nature, the no objections to lawyers and doctors in their place, and some is clever men, but they ain't farmers gentler were the soul of the Westlam and the soul of the soul of the soul of the soul of the westlam and the soul of the so

come to doctor my wife's sore leg. And he did, and put some salve truck on it and some rags, but never done it a bit of good, gentlemen of the jury. I don't believe he's no doctor, no way. There's doctors as I know is doctors, sure the Amador (Cal.) Ledger: An Answer and gentlemen have usurped their places.

This was the conventional straw that them, and continued: "Ask your patients? Why, I would have to seek them in the lonesome churchyard, and rap on the silent tomb to get answers from the dead. You know they can' say nothin' to this case, for you've kill ed them all!" The applause closed the speech, and the defendant had his case.

When you have found a man, you have not far to go to find a gentleman brass You cannot change a Cape May crystal to a diamond. You cannot make a gentleman till you first find a man. To be a gentleman it is not sufficient to have a grandfather. To be a gentleman does not depend upon the tailor or the toilet. Blood will degenerate. Good clothes are not good habits. The prince Lee Boy concluded that the hog was the only gentleman in Englaud, as being the only thing that did not labor. A gentleman is just a gentle-man; no more, no less; a diamond polished that was first a diamond in the rough. A gentleman is gentle. A gentleman is gentleman is gentle. A gentleman is modest. A gentleman is courteous A gentleman is slow to take offense, as being one never gives eing one, never gives it. A gentle-The piano was closed, Lizzie's work put in the basket, and William was ready to go up stairs; but glancing back, he saw his little wife near the fireplace, her hands clapsed, her head bent and large tears falling from her eyes. He was beside her in an instant.

"Lizzie, darling, are you ill?" What is the matter?"

"Oh, William, I have been such a bad wife. I heard you tell Mr. Moore, last evening, how I had disappointed to Black Hall. She was a modern dition of her grandmother, the historical Martha Pitkin, bright, beautiful, brighthood—as when, upon the field of Zutphen, as he lay in his own blood, he waived the draught of cool spring the was to quench his mortal thirst, in favor of a dying soldier. St. Paul describes a gentleman when he exhorted the Philippian Christian:

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"Whatsoever things are just, whatsoever things are honest, whatsoever things are just, whatsoever things get your girl, (N. B — She mustr't). "Oh, William, I have been such a bad wife. I heard you tell Mr. Moore, last evening, how I had disappointed you; but I will try to make your home pleasant, indeed I will, if you will only forgive and love me."

"I did not say anything," he repure, whatsoever things are lovely, whatsoever things are of good report, asked in the same tone: "What did you say, Cousin Mathew?"

"I did not say anything," he relied as before.

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"I did not say anything," he relied as before." and study to be a leader unto virtue and a notable promoter thereof; directing and exciting men thereto, by his and exciting men thereto, by his exemplary conversation; encouraging them by countenance and authority; rewarding the goodness of meaner people by his bounty and favor; he should be such a gentleman as Noah, who preached righteousness by his words and works, before a profane world."—

Bishop Doane.

Calls for Cash.—We lately met an extravagant habits, and fondness for directions. Buy her the slang dictionary, and let her go everywhere and do everything she likes. By the time she is twenty-one she will be quite a nice girl.

Calls for Cash.—We lately met an old colored man tradging along the first Fruits of Indiana, among the first Fruits of the earth, the one being 113 and the other 111 years old. The old gentleman neither smokes nor chews, of course.

The firm, steadfast bosom, upon which many a past full of torture has weighed in vain will be quite an incomplete first Fruits of Indiana, among the first Fruits of Indiana, among the first Fruits of the earth, the one being 113 and the other 111 years old. The old gentleman neither smokes nor chews, of course.

along."
"By keeping at it," said the boy cheerfully; "that's how!"
That is the secret of mastering almost

every difficulty under the sun. If a hard task is before you, stick to it, and little do not see how;" but go at it and keep at it—study. That is the only way to

Prof. Rudolph says that he has found out that the sun is a white, hot mass, 856,000 miles in diameter, having a

Beautiful Answers.

heart."

"What is hope?" "Hope is the blossom of happiness."
"What is the difference between hope But and desire ?"

Mr. tree in flower, and enjoyment is a tree "What is eternity?"

"A day without yesterday or to-mor row, a line that has no end." "What is time?" "A line that has two ends; a path which begins in the cradle and ends in he tomb

their place, and some is cieve.

but they ain't farmers, gentlemen of the jury. Now this Dr. Royston was a new doctor, and I sent for him to deliberates, he decides. God is omniscient; He never doubts; He therefore

doctors as I know is doctors, sure enough, but this ain't no doctor at all "
This was evidently telling, and Dr. Royston put in with, "Look at my diploma, and see if I am not a doctor."

"His diploma!" said the new-fiedged orator, with great contempt. "That on't nothin, for no piece of paper ever made a doctor yet."

"Ask my patients," shouted the now furious physician.

This was the conventional straw that good swimper, but to gain the shore. This was the conventional straw that seemed to break the back of the orator's patience. "Ask your patients!" he said, in slow and mournful deliberation. "Ask your patients! Why, they're all found he had just enough either to take dead!" Then, in rapid declamation, him home or to carry him to Califor-"Ask your patients! Why, they're all dead!" Then, in rapid declamation, he named case after case, well known. In the returned, and is once more but mostly among the negro servants of his neighbors, where his opponent had treated them and their owners buried the the sea so cruelly tore at treated them and their owners buried the threshold of his happiness from the sea of continued. "Ask your around his happen heart."

> KINDNESS IN LITTLE THINGS.
>
> sunshine of life is made up of very little beams, that are bright all the last seen going up a hill. a man after him. time. It the nursery, on the playground and in the school-room, there
> is room all the time for little acts of
> kindness that cost nothing, but are
> worth more than gold or silver. To give up something, where giving up will prevent unhappiness; to yield when persisting will chafe and fret others; to go a little around rather than come are clouded. clouds and storms are kept off, and pleasant smiling sunshine secured even in the humble home, among poor peo-ple, as in families in wealthier homes. Much that we term the miseries of life would be avoided by adopting this rule

A MAGNIFICENT SANITARY STRUCTURE.—The Lick baths in San Francisco for which \$150,000 was willed in the deed of trust, when finished will prove a worthy ornament to the city. The structure will be constructed of iron and glass, and will consist of a hall 370 feet in length by 80 in width. The roof will be arched at an elevation of 70 feet, with a dome in the centre 180 feet high. The interior will be divided into three compartments, the middle being devoted to men, the south to boys and the north to ladies. The swim-

get your girl, (N. B —She mustn't be an old girl, but a young one, nice and tender.) Bring her up from early infancy on a strict diet of hot pickles, cold brandy and water, Ouida's novels. Send her to a fashionable boarding school to be "finished off," and when school to be "finished off," and wnen she comes home for the holidays, carefully develop her latent love for dress, extravagant habits, and fondness for Buy her the slang dictionations. Buy her the slang dictionations are straightful and the slang dictionations are straightful and the slang dictionations.

be such a gentleman as Noah, who preached righteousness by his words and works, before a profane world."—

Bishop Doane.

CALLS FOR CASH.—We lately met an old colored man trudging along with a beary side of bacon that he had bought swinging over his shoulder. We noticed be was miserably clad, and we felt swinging over his shoulder. We noticed be was miserably clad, and we felt sorry for him, for a cold wind was blowing. We remonstrated with him. "Why do you spend your money for meat? You'd better buy a coat." The firm, steadfast bosom. upon which many a past full of torture has weighed in vain, will, many a time, like a piece of ice that has been often over-flowed, break down beneath the gentlest sorry for him, for a cold wind was blowing. We remonstrated with him. "Why do you spend your money for meat? You'd better buy a coat." The firm, steadfast bosom. upon which many a past full of torture has weighed in vain, will, many a time, like a piece of ice that has been often over-flowed, break down beneath the gentlest one was miserably clad, and we felt sorry for him, for a cold wind was blowing. We remonstrated with him. "Why do you spend your money for meat? You'd better buy a coat." The firm, steadfast bosom. upon which many a past full of torture has weighed in vain, will, many a time, like a piece of ice that has been often over-flowed, break down beneath the gentlest over the many a past full of torture has weighed in vain, will, many a time, like a piece of ice that has been often over-flowed, break down beneath the gentlest over the many a past full of torture has weighed in vain, will, many a time, like a piece of ice that has been often over-flowed, break down beneath the gentlest as weighed in vain, will, many a time, like a piece of ice that has been often over-flowed, break down beneath the gentlest as weighed in vain, will, many a time, like a piece of ice that has been often over-flowed, break down beneath the gentlest as weighed in vain, will, many a time, like a piece of ice that has been often o

not spend a moment in fretting; do not lose breath in saying. "I can't" or "I eyes of both the same characters will appear; but the learned man in those characters will see heaven, earth, sun, moon and stars—read profound theo-If a fault is cured or a bad habit broken up, it cannot be done by merely being sorry, or only trying a little You must keep fighting until it is got rid of.

People have a custom of excusing

Parieties.

He has a good memory who at this season remembers the poor.

It is the custom for ladies having

become widows to drop their husband's initials and use their own. he has written his name, strikes down his honor with his own hand.

The bosom is heaved and swayed by a pent up thought, like a rose be that imprisons a straggling bee. There sometimes seems to be nothing

in the universe but the sound of old sobs and the tracks of old tears. The Persians, as ancient writers in-

form us, used to teach their sous to ride, to pay their debts, and to tell the He who, being master of the fittest moment to crush an enemy, magnani-mously rejects it, is born to be a con-

Scotch saying—a doar plast wi' a mon's naam on's a vaary goad thing, but a dinner platt wi' a mon's dinner on 'is a better.

People are commonly so employed in pointing out faults in those before them as to forget that some behind may at the same time be descanting on their

The tenderest heart loves the courageous one. The gentle voice says, "Why wast thou so hazardous?" The deeper toned replies, "For thee, for thee."

Many folks are so anxious for sorrow that they are not only willing to hold their own nose to the grindstone of life, but are willing to turn the mean thing

The laws are generally equal to all circumstances. In order to get jurymen whose minds have not been made up, men are selected with very little mind to make up. A Nevada Chinaman cut down six telegraph poles for firewood and used the wire to make fox traps. He was last seen going up a hill. There was

settle their accounts only once in a hun

It is the general opinion that there are clouds which are all lightning and no thunder, and the universal opinion that there are men who are all thunder and no lightning. A bill has been introduced into the Pennsylvania Legislature making it a penal offense to "point" a pistol or gun or any firearm at a person, whether in

jest or in earnest. Isn't it a little odd that while all decent men are horrified when they hear of a wife being whipped, they should do nothing but laugh at a husband who is whipped by his wife? We often take repentance for reforma-

tion, resolutions for actions, blossoms for fruit. On the naked twig of the fig tree, seeming fruits sprout forth, which are only the fleshy rinds of the blossoms. Of the one hundred and seventy-eight Congregational clergymen who died last year, eight were over eighty years old, and only six under forty. The average age was over sixty-four

Some time in October last the Missis sippi river began eating into the Illi-nois shore, two or three miles above Cairo, and the pr

six, who went to a neighbor's bouse and remarked: "Will you please let me see your parlor carpet, for suntic says it makes her most sick every time she comes here !' "I hate anything that occupies more Apace than it is worth," says William Hazlitt; "I hate to see a load of bandboxes go along the street, and I hate to see a parcel of big words without anything in them."

back for credit it gibs it; when I ax my back for credit it gibs it; when I speak to dis" (laying his hand upon his stomach), "it calls for de cash."

The mind perceives by occasion of

The mind perceives by occasion of Vain men, will they pluck out their

eyes because they cannot look upon the brightness of the sun in its brightness and glory? What though reason cannot reach to the depths, to the bottom of the ocean, may it not therefore swim and hold up the head as well as it can? Cut your climate to your constitution as much as your clothing to your shape.

If you would be happy among the mountains, you must carry mountains in your brain; if you would enjoy the

appears, but black strokes drawn on white paper.

The value of the butter made in the United States in 1875, amounts to \$420,000,000. This is equal to the combined yield of gold and silver and the cotton crop. Bully for the cows.

There may be a quiet love in manly hearts, which, though cold, cutting, and sharp to the outer world, labors and throbs in their inpur world, warning and throbs in their inpur world warning and the content of the warning and t

throbs in their inner world, warmly and tenderly for each other; as it were lofty the enormities of their conduct by talking of their passions as if they were
under the control of a blind necessity,
and sinned because they couldn't help it.

of the most vigorous friendship. 1 inch, \$ 75 \$ 1 50 \$ 3 00 \$ 5 00 \$ 8 00 2 '' 1 75 2 50 4 50 6 75 12 00 3 '' 1 75 3 50 6 00 9 00 16 00 4 '' 2 25 4 50 8 00 12 00 20 00 1 col. 3 50 7 00 10 00 15 00 28 00 2 '' 6 00 12 00 18 00 30 00 56 00 1 '' 12 00 20 00 35 00 60 00 100 00

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SATURDAY MORNING, FEB. 19, 1876.

LOCAL AND STATE AFFAIRS.

Items of Local Interest.

Thanks to Senator Bayard for public docu-

"Old Prob" said last Monday night was

The firm name of Morris, Tasker & Co., of

New Castle has been changed to The Dela-ware Iron Works, its title in the act of incor-

pocket picked of a pocket-book containing \$200, last Friday night, at the Wilmington John A. Reynolds, Jr., and Wm. Home

wood, of Newark, went west last week for the purpose of purchasing cattle for the New Rev. Mr. Walk will preach in St. Augus

tine Church on to-morrow (Sunday) after

noon at 2 o'clock, when the holy cor As previously announced J. H. Rowlenso

began the publication of the Saturday Visitor at Newark last week, the first number being issued on Saturday. The girls now spend their time in counting gray horses. The trader who would bring a drove of those animals to town would receive

the blessings off all the girls in the neighbortural and Mechanical Society have decided to nold their second annual fair, on Tuesday,

Wednesday and Thursday, September 26th, The Wilmington Gazette not long since was furnished with a new press and now it has

put in a new Babcock engine. This does not look as if it was going to be consolidated Messrs. Polk & Cochran and L. P. McDowell

have large droves of fine young mules, lately brought by them from the West, which they are offering for sale at the stables adjoining the Middletown Hotel.

cabinet shop opposite the bank on Broad street, back from the street preparatory to building him a wareroom and furniture store

decided improvement in the appearance of A vessel laden with potatoes was wrecked

on the beach near Lewes the day of the big gale, and the Lewes people fished up the pota-toes and got a fine supply. She had more

to be collecting stock for another sale.

The services at the Methodist Church will probably continue for weeks to come. Large audiences meet nightly at 7½ o'clock. A female prayer meeting is held daily at 3 Fox Chases.

plained of by farmers as being so heavy a tax upon their pockets as to almost preclude their The poudrette, manufactured by Mr. C. H. Gallagher, of Wilmington, presents in great measure a remedy for this evil. The price. \$22.50, is within the means of even well attested by numerous persons who have making use of it.

Sheriff Lambson sold at Kirkwood, on Saturday last, the farm of Samuel Frazier, con-taining a little more than 202 acres, in Pen-cader Hundred, to Joshua Jackson, of Mary-

Next Tuesday, Washington's Birthday, being a legal holiday, the banks will not be Directors will hold their weekly meeting.

The following sales of personal property Rich'd Townsend, neur Townsend, Feb. 22. James Podsos, Middletown, February 23.
John M. Rothwell, on the Levels, Feb. 24.
R. H. Guy, near Summit Bridge, Feb. 25. W. J. Eliason, Mount Pleasant, Feb. 29.

Owing to the inclemency of the weather on Taesday, Mr. Richard Townsend felt obliged his sale, which was to have taken place on that day, and consequently postponed it until Tuesday next, 22d. Mr. Townsend has a large amount of valuable Townsend has a large amount of valuable property to dispose of and persons who need will find it to their advantage to attend his Wilson; Mill Creek Hd., Edmund Hammond;

According to the Commercial the car building industry in that city is quite active.

Considerable new work is being done, and Blackbird Hd, Thomas Bratton. Considerable new work is being done, and not a little repairing. The near approach of the centennial exhibition is attributed as the immediate cause of the activity, but the Kanely; Blackbird Hd., Richard Ferguson; builders state that their orders are such as indicate more than a mere spasmodic demand.
They express the opinion that the bottom has
been reached in the depression of their busibeen reached in the depression of their busibeen and enticipate better times in the future.

Bailiff of Court—Thomas B. Smith.

Middletown and Vicinity Items.

BY OUR LOCAL REPORTER

The extra meetings at the M. E. Church over forty have professed conversion.

Sociables among the young ladies and ents of this vicinity have gents of this vicinity have been very promi-nent for the past month, and have afforded the year.

Those beralds of spring, the robins, have made their appearance one week earlier this

Clarence Anderson has recently added another attractive feature to his already popular drug store: that of keeping all the daily and weekly papers and monthly magazines for sale at the earliest date after their cation. I notice among them "THE TRANS-

Rev. Dr. Patton has been very much gratifield at the response made to his invitation for all children and serious-minded persons to meet him in his study one night each week The Doctor appeals to his church members to work now earnestly for the salvation of every person that they think of person that they think of.

I see that Mr. Sam Townsend has again go himself in trouble by communicating to his Wilmington organ, the Herald, an account of going to be clear and cold. Didn't he hit it though?

Forgive me? at last, the silent tongue

Struck upon that long lost theme With upturned face so close to mine, While I, with soul and beart unstrung, Shouted! awoke—'twas but a dream.

The Young Men's Christian Association of importance since its organization in 1875. Its present officers have had their room repainted, papered and furnished, and added ew members to their number. The Association is on the advance, but it is hoped that

eople who wish it success. As Monday was St. Valentine's day the younger portion of our population delighted in the amusement of sending those horrible caricatures of McLaughlin Bros., called they wished to plague. By the way tell it gently,") I received two of the

they were so becoming that I shall not say they made me angry. Thanks to Mr. Anonymous.

One of the most interesting actions looked and hoped for by the people of Middletown is the conversion of the Academy into a firstclass public school with all the differen grades of scholarships. A movement is being nade, and it is strongly supported by the trustees of the institution, to effect this change, and a meeting is to be held by them next Wednesday, when it is expected a final action will be taken on the matter.

One of the most remarkable freaks of nature ever known of occurred on the farm of Mr. John Cochran, about two miles from Middletown, on Wednesday last, at which time a ewe, belonging to Mr. Cochran, gave birth to four lambs, and thus proved he fulness in the world, besides becoming note rious, for old men have said that they have never heard or read of such a fact before blacksmith shop back from Broad street a lit-tle to the rear of their coach works, making a

The Delaware Railroad Company have ommenced operations against shippers who have so long been overloading their cars from employed Samuel Frice as an assistant at this station, whose duties are to weigh during the night. This "war" on the freighter has for three terms. It must not be for

The high price of fertilizers is much com- his friends who are fond of the chase, to join in the sport.

on Monday another will be set free at H. time in the latter part of the week, at S. Clement's botel in Summit Bridge. Thus Clement's botel in Summit Bridge. Thus plenty of chances are offered to fox hunters to try the speed of their horses, and test the validation of their horses, and test the could, for instance, have

old pleasure and amusement.

The repairs on the locks of the Chesapeake

and Delaware canal at St. Georges are now completed, and trade has resumed as usual. The navigation through the canal has not been stopped by ice this winter so far, which has not been the case for many years.

business. Persons who may have perintendent, J. R. Price, who has been quite opened for business. Persons who may have perintendent, J. R. Price, who has been quite notes falling due on that day will have to ill. will be glad to hear that he is now con-McDonald, of St. Louis, in defiance of attend to them on Monday, on which day the valescent. Good hopes are entertained that

he will be out soon.

Lindsay, the fat and jolly, is prepared to supply his triends and the public in general

with lumber at ante-war prices.

The protracted meeting, which has been in

H. T. Massey, St. Augustine, Md., March 2.

James C. Lecompte, Kirkwood, March 7.

At the meeting of the Levy At the meeting of the Levy Court at New

Castle on Wednesday the following county officers were elected : County Treasurer-William Herbert.

County Solicitor—George Gray.

Jail Physician—Dr. G. T. Maxwell. Collectors—Brandywine Hd, Jesse N. Grubb; Wilmington Hd., Northern district, White Clay Creek Hd , Uriah S. Weir; New Castle Hd., John Bartholomew; Red Lion Hd., John B. Howe: Pencader Hd., William

from the Philadelphia, Wilmington and Bal-this town, for the election of four members of this town, for the election of four members of the Board of Trustees, to fill vacancies, was phia and New York.

Monday afternoon. On motion of D. L. Dun- familiar with the subject of her article ning, the meeting was organized by calling
S. M. Reynolds to the chair, and appointing
Dundas," by Mrs. E. Lynn Linton, is Dr. W. F. Kennedy secretary pro tem, the continued, and deepens in interest. The second of "Letters from South not being present. After the reading of the Africa." by Lady Barker, gives an enminutes of the last meeting and transaction | tertaining account of a voyage along of other preliminary business a ballot was taken for trustees resulting in the choice of Messrs. Joseph West, Chas. Tatman, Jr., John Cochran and E. Reynolds, the latter to fill the place of Thomas Massey, removed to Bryn Mawr, Pa.; all the others being relections. The remaining members of the Revnel Mess. The control of the costs of Africa and a visit to the costs of the costs of the costs of Africa and a visit to the costs of made their appearance one week earlier this year than last, not, however, near Middle-town, but in the forest of Appoquinimiah hundred.

**Clarence Anderson has recently added

clarence Anderson has recently added Penington, secretary; D. L. Dunning, treasurer, Robert A. Cochran, H. D. Howell, J. M. Rothwell, J. T. Budd and T. C. Murphy.

Maryland Affairs.

Maryland Affairs.

An inquest was held on Wednesday, near Wigan, Somerset county, over the body of a little girl named Mary Evans, aged six years, the daughter of Samuel Evans. About one pound of gun-powder was borrowed from Evans by a neighbor, and returned on the following evening. Mrs. Evans received the powder, and left a basin containing it at the bottom of the stairs. The child being shortly afterward sent up stairs on an errand with a candle, stumbled against the basin and dropcandle, stumbled against the basin and dropand the child was so injured that she died.

SCARLET FRUER.-This dreadful diseas which so ravaged our county last winter he again broken out in the upper part of th Busles lost three children by it a few day time. The house in which Mr Starkey live several children, and it is supposed that the disease has lingered there ever since. - Centre

The recent temperance convention seems have given a very decided impetus to loca option in Wicomico county. Petitions are being extensively circulated for signatures and many of the most influential citizens a attaching their names thereto. The friends of the movement claim that they will soon send on fifteen hundred names to the Legislamore interest will be taken in it by older ture praying for the passage of a local optio

> Jesse T. Comegys, of Centreville, propose to exhibit himself at the centennial as one of the greatest curiosities of the age. He claims to exhibit himself at the centennial as one of the greatest curiosities of the age. He claims to have written 76 love letters in his time, then jilled 76 times and was confined in jail days for writing love-letters. He is days for writing love-letters. He is s the only man ever put in jail for fall

e farm of the late John Simpers, in Elk Neck, Cecil county, has been sold to ohnson Simpers for \$5.800. The farm contains 214 acres, about 100 acres of which was

The Cecil county school board proposes to create a bonded debt for the purpose of sup-plying a deficiency in the school fund, and will memorialize the Legislature for power to

doing a large business, employing about two hundred men. About twenty car loads of granite are shipped every day. Rea Pattison, son of William F. Pattison, postmaster at Cambridge, has received an ap-

The granite quarries at Port Deposit are

ointment as paymaster's clerk on board of a Several Elktonians have migrated to Vir-

inia, where land is cheap, and the people cial and intelligent. O. P. Clemson, of Elkton, has sold his rotter Bendigo for \$2,150 to a gentleman in

Peach growers in the vicinity of Elkton sa the peach prospect was never worse than now

station, whose duties are to weight during the night. This "war" on the freighter has caused some consternation and surprise at the political career, that it is the very his political career, that it is the very fact of his strong claim on the popular gratitude which has made his two terms female prayer meeting is held daily at 3 o'clock are held every evening. More than fifty have professed conversion.

The state of the s general in dark days, he would have become odious before 1872, but with the halo of war about him, not only have a terrible number of faults been forgiven him, but they have come been allowed to give a government like

Manor Items.

Although times are hard, the Manor folks are determined to enjoy themselves. Masquerades are all the go, which afford young and old pleasure and amesment. ordinary and, as it seemed, scandalous selections for places in the civil service, his friends maintained that we must not reproach him, that he was a simple-minded man, who was necessarily in this matter in the hands of the Senators and Representatives; but he speedily dissipated this theory by appointing Simmons, of Boston, in defiance of the the whole State delegation. In short he administered the government neither on the old American "spoils" system nor on the new "civil service reform system, but on the Sultanic or Turkish system, which says: "I like Mustapha; put the Vizier's robes on him, and give anybody who says he is a thief one hundred blows with a stick."

LIPPINCOTT'S MAGAZINE.—The first article in the March number of this article in the March number of this popular magazine is a continuation of the valuable series of papers on "The Century—its Fruits and its Festival," and treats of "Past Expositions," showing the origin and growth of Exhibi-tions in the past. The article in ques-tion embraces a number of Exhibition Buildings, including those of Paris and Vienna "Skerches of India," handsomely illustrated, are continued, with increasing interest. Rebecca Harding Davis contributes a striking description Davis contributes a striking description of our "Life-Saving Stations," in which she vividly pictures the dangers of our coasts, and the valuable service performed by the brave men employed by the Government to save life and property from the wreeks that occur with such frequency. "The Eutaw Flag," by Revolution, which takes its title from that old relic of our war for Independence, the flag horne by Col. They express the opinion that the bottom has been reached in the depression of their business, and anticipate better times in the future. The factories are not yet running up to their full capacity, but the prospects are that they will do so within a limited period of time.

The heaviest orders on hand at present are from the Philadelphia Wilmington and Balance from the fourth of the fourth o

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Business Jocals.

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You can get XX SWISS LINIMENT, a sure cure for Frosted Feet, Lame Back, Rheuma-tism, Bunions, Neuralgia, Pains in the Head, Side or Joints, Sore throat, &c. Use it and suffer no longer.

IT ACTS LIKE MAGIC. Taken inwardly it cures Diarrhoza, Dysentery. Cholera Morbus, cramps, &c.
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SOLID STERLING Silver and Plated Ware Suitable for Holiday Presents.

N. B.—Fine selection of 18 Kt. Wedding Rings on Hand. Gold, Silver and Steel Spectacles to suit all ages. Dec. 10—tf Ladies in need of a nice Silk Dress, call at i. M. REYNOLDS' and look at those Guinet slack Silks at \$1.50 and \$1.75 per yard, just eceived direct from the importers.

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A. "Before it goes into Stock it is ticketed.

Every single garment has its number and other points noted on it, so that its entire history can be traced without fail, upon our books."

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Y. "It is perfectly colossal! Do you know its dimensions?"
A. "12,000 square feet—65 on Market, and 180 odd on Sixth, six stories high, has over three acres of flooring, and covers space once occupied by one can twenty different business places."

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A. "A giant young engine furnishes power for the freight and passenger elevators, and the boilers steam for heating, and the other operations of the house."

Y. "What order do you take with goods?"

A. "They are first opered and arranged in the basement, on long low counters, and taken thence on the fraight elevator to the inspector's room on the arm floor."

Y. "Is inspecting the first operation?"

A. "No, sir, measuring. The goods are first measured in the place, then inspected. The cloth passes over rollers in the face of a strong light, and two men sit, one before and one behind the goods, watching with the eye of a lawk, for the losus plin-hole imperfection, and armed award it when he comes to cut the garments."

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ments."
V. "You must employ an array of cutters?"
A. "Come to our fifth floof and see! We keep 70 hands all the time cutting up the cloth into garments,—besides we machines that do a dozen men's work earlist a stroke."
V. "Do you manufacture all your own goods?" A. "We do, and most carefully. Our ex-aminers inspect every stitch and seam, and certily to every garment as extra-well made before we put our ticket on it, and become responsible i.r. it."

Y. "Your system must save you a great deal?"

boy can be traced without and, upon our books."

V." You must have 20 or 40 salesmen?"

A. "Why sir, on busy days you maysee 100 in the various rooms and suites of rooms, selling to the throngs of customers."

V. "Do you do an order but less, by mail and express."

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Call again; and be sure of the place. Wanamaker & Brown's Oak Hall coch. East corref Sixth and Market."

V. "Thank you'l shall be happy to do so,
Good morning."

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Read carefully the annexed Certificates of Farmers who have used it: C. H. GALLAGHER.

No. 6 WEST TENTH STREET, WILMINGTON, DEL.

CERTIFICATES: The Former's Friend, a newspaper published at Mechanicsburg, Pa., in the interests of the Patrons of Husbandry, says:

"We have at different times been asked by our correspondents to name a commercial manure which contains all the elements needed by the growing crop. Such a manure is hardly needed, because even the poorest of all soils contains enough of at least one or more of the elements for a crop. The main constituents needed, and which are oftenest abent from the soil, are potash, phosphate of lime (phosphoric acid), and ammonia. If either of these be entirely absent, a crop cannot be produced, and if they are not in sufficient amounts, only a partial one will be obtained. Barn-yard manure, if properly taken care of, contains the elements of successful growth, but cannot be obtained in sufficient amount. Poudrette, if properly manipulated, contains all the elements in about the proper proportions, and should be much more widely used than at present. Its low price and convenience of application render it one of the most economical sources of some of the most important elements of plant food."

That we do not recommend the Poudrette too much ourselves, the following testimonials from some farmers, gardeners, &c., who have used the fertilizer, speak for themselves. By their permission we submit them to your perusal.

Mr. J. B. Moore, of Mill Creck Hundred, says:

I used two tons of your Poudrette on my corn, and am very much pleased with the result. It gave the corn an early start and vigorous growth, and I believe greatly added to the year the corn and any start and vigorous growth, and I believe greatly added to the year the corn an early start and vigorous growth, and I believe greatly added to the year the corn and any start and vigorous growth, and I believe greatly added to the year the corn and any start and vigorous growth, and I believe greatly added to the year the corn and its results are as good, if not better. I tried it also on truck, and found the best results. I will want two tons for wheat t

Mr. Joseph Petitdemange, of Christiana Hundred, says:

I used four tons of your Poudrette this Spring, and it gives me pleasure to state that I am much pleased with its results; it has proved a perfect success on my corn crop, and everything to which I have applied it. I consider that the increased yield of corn it has produced will pay for the corn a half dozen times, besides the benefit to the land. I cheerfully recommend it to farmers as a reliable fertilizer, and the best and cheapest in the market. I shall not plant any wheat this fall or I should use it; next Spring I shall use it on everything I plant, and shall require a large quantity. I trust that you will meet with the best success, which your fertilizer justly merits.

Ex-Sheriff R. Lewis Armstrong says:
Your Poudrette has given me the best satisfaction. It is the best fertilizer I ever used on my corn. I have plenty of manure for my wheat, or I would use it this fall. You are at the location of manure for my wheat, or I would use it this fall. You are at libration of manure for my wheat, or I would use it this fall. You are at libration of manure for my wheat, or I would use it this fall. You are at libration of manure for my wheat, or I would use it this fall. You are at libration of manure for my wheat, or I would use it this fall. You are at libration of manure for my wheat, or I would use it this fall. You are at libration of manure for my wheat, or I would use it this fall. You are at libration of manure for my wheat, or I would use it this fall. You are at libration of manure for my wheat, or I would use it this fall. You are at libration of manure for my wheat, or I would use it this fall. You are at libration of manure for my wheat, or I would use it this fall. You are at libration of my corn. I have plenty of manure for my wheat, or I would use it this fall. You are at libration of my corn. I have plenty of manure for my wheat, or I would use it this fall. You are at libration of my corn. I have plenty of manure for my wheat, or I would us

Mr. Wm. Rotthouse, of Brandywine Hundred, near Wilmington, Delaware, says My corn, to which I applied your Poudrette, will produce a handsome yield; the ears are large and well filled. I also used it on my onions, cabbage, and other truck, and it has produced the best results and given me satisfaction on whatever I have applied it. I cheerfully recommend it to farmers as the best and cheapest fertilizer in the market. I shall want four tons for my wheat.

Having used the fertilizer on corn this Spring, in the hill, I must say that it has given etter results than any fertilizer for the money I have tried.

Thomas J. Edge, of Londongrove, Chester county, Pa., says: My wheat, to which your Poudrette was applied, looks quite as well, if not better, than that immediately adjoining, which had a good coat of yard manure. From some cause the Poudrette wheat winter killed less, and the difference in its favor, as shown when the snow and ice passed off, has been maintained ever since. It is yet too soon to report its results upon Hungarian grass, but at the present time the indications are favorable to your manure. For garden vegetables, and where quick action is desirable, I find it to give the best results. I hope you may meet with the success which I believe the quality of your manure merits.

Samuel Comely, of Cooch's Bridge, member of Newark Grange, No. 5, says:

The Poudrette purchased from you and used on my wheat last fall gave great satisfaction.

Where I used the Poudrette the wheat was less winter-killed, and in the spring looked quite as well, if not better, than that on which other fertilizers had been used. I consider it the best and cheapest fertilizer offered to the farmer, and for corn and other seed where quick action is required, there is nothing, in my opinion, its equal.

George Jackson, of New Castle Hundred, says:
I used one too of your Poudrette on my corn with satisfactory results, and am sorry I did
not apply it to all my field, as it would have added greatly to the yield of corn. I believe it
to be a good fertilizer.

Ex-Sheriff R. Lewis Armstrong says:
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Michael Mullen. near Talleyville, Brandywire Hundred, says:
The Poudrette purchased of the Wilmington Poudrette Co gave me better results than any
fertilizer I ever used, and I cheerfully recommend it to farmers for general use on crops. I
used it on potatoes, cabbage, and other vegetables with the best results, and my field of corn
surpasses any yield 1 have ever grown.

John Dunn, of Brandy wine Hundred, says:
Your Poudrette is the very best fertilizer I have ever used and its results are equal to if not better than bone or the high priced phosphates. I recommend its use to farmers and am confident that its results will be satisfactory to them as they have been to me.

George W. Savage, of New Castle Hundred, says:
I used your Pondrette on corn, wheat and vegetables, and am satisfied that it has increased
my yield very considerably. The low price at which it is sold brings it within the reach of
the smallest farmer and gardener, and it ought to be the fertilizer used by them on all crops
of grain and vegetables. I trust that you will find large sales.

George Lewis, near Christiana, says:
I used three tons of your Poudrette, and the result has been highly satisfactory. I have
the same amount of corn this year on ten acres that I had last year on eighteen acres. I also
used it on my truck, and the result has been very satisfactory, giving the plants a large

E. C. Stotsenburg, near Christiana, says:
Having used your fertilizer on my torn, I consider it one of the best things to put on the hills to give the start of growth, and the earing has been very satisfactory. I would recommend it as a cheap and useful fertilizer.

Thomas McMulien, Port Penn, says:

I used your Pondrette on my wheat and corn, and am well satisfied with the result. I believe it to be one of the best fertilizers in the market. Wm. H. Reynolds, of Pencader Hundred, says:

I tried three tons of your Poudrette on my corn last spring, and am glad to be able to report that it exceeded my expectations. I consider it the cheapest and best firtilizer in the market. My corn crib is literally running over with corn. The yield where I applied the Poudrette greatly exceeds that where it was not used, and I can therefore confidently recommend it to farmers generally.

Abner Hollingsworth, of Christiana Hundred says:
In answer to your inquiry, I have to state that the Poudrette I have used on my corn has given me good satisfaction. I had a little left after planting my corn, which I used on my turnip patch as far as it went. The balance of the ground I planted without any fertilizer: I the result is that where I used the Poudrette I have fine turnips, and where I did not I have nothing. I believe your fertilizer to be good, and all you claim for it.

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Samuel Broadbent, of Mill Creek Hundred, says:
I used on my corn two tons of your Poudrette, and am more than satisfied with the result. I not only gave it a quick and strong growth, but increased the yield very much. I have no hesitation in recommending it to farmers as one of the hest, and I think decidedly the cheapest fertilizer in the market.

Delaware Division Time Table. FALL ARRANGEMENT

O'N and after Monday, OCT. 25th, 1875, (Sunday, excepted,) Trains will leave as follows: NORTHWARD. Passenger. Mixed P. M. P. M. SQUTHWARD. Passenger. Mixed. A. M. P. M. A. M.

tions where time is given.

New Custle Trains—Leave New Castle for Wilmington and Philadelphia at 11 40 and 630 pm. Leave Wilmington 620 am, and 125 pm for New Castle.

Smyrna Branch Trains—Additional to those above leave Smyrna for Clayton 1030 am 400 and 800 pm. Leave Clayton for Smyrna 725 am 2'25 and 4'30 pm, to make connection with trains (North and South) from Clayton

CONNECTIONS:

At Townsend, with Queen Anne's and Kent Rail Road. At Clayton, with Maryland and Delaware Rail Road. At Harrington, with Junction and Breakwater Rail Road. At Seaford, with Dorchester and Delaware Rail Road. At Delmar, with Eastern Shore Rail Road, and Wicomico and Pocomoke Rail Road.

Jun 5-tf H, F. KENNEY, Sup't.

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1875 Winter Arrangement, 1876 ICE PERMITTING.

On and after Monday, Dec. 6, 1875, PERRY,

PERRY, Capt. S. Johnson, Will leave Salem, N. J., Mondays, Wednes-days and Fridays, at 8 a.m. Returning, leave Arch Street Wharf, Pbiladelphia, Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays, at 12 m. Landing, each way, at

DELAWARE CITY, NEW CASTLE, PENNSGROVE, MARCUS HOOK, and CHESTER.

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FREIGHT AT LOW RATES. All lost goods must be reported to the ptains within three days.

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Will leave Pier 10, Light Street Wharf, on and after Tuesday, AUGUST 3, at 8 o'clock A. M. for

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CARPETS.

4th. Of Carpets—In this line we excel any other store in this town or neighboring towns. Our stock is very large of all kinds—Brussels, Ingrain, Hemp, Cottage, Rag and Sbuir. Our prices are far below all others—from 25 cents

to \$1.50. If you want a bargain, come and

COVERLIDS, &c.

7th. Of Coverlids and Comfortables and lankets-from \$1.75 to \$5. LAP ROBES.

GLOVES.

9th Of Driving and Working Gloves—We have a full stock and at such prices that everybody can purchase and save their hands from exposure to cold.

Respectfully,
S. R. STEPHENS & CO.
M. L. HARDCASTLE is with us.

HEADLIGHT COAL OIL!!

Middletown, Del., Jan. 1, 1876.

BURNS LONGER and gives a more Brilliant Light than any other oil. For sale at

ANDERSON'S DRUG STORE. Jan 15-tf MIDDLETOWN.

Ladies call at S. M. REYNOLDS' and look at the new assortment of Hamburg Edgings and Insertings, in all widths and prices from 10 cents and upwards.

God Bless the Farm God bless the farm-the dear old farm

God bless each meadow, field and nook, Begemmed with fairest flowers, And every leaf that's gently shook By evening breeze or morning shower God bless them all! each leaf's a gem In nature's gorgeous diadem.

And may He bless the farmer's home,
Where peace and plenty reign;
No happier spot 'neath heaven's high dome
Doth this broad, beauteous earth contain.
Than where secure from care and strife,
The farmer leads his peaceful life.

Unvexed by toil and tricks for gain,
He turns the fertile mould;
Then scatters on the golden grain,
And reaps reward a hundred fold;
He dwells where grace and beauty charn
For God hath blessed his bome and farn

The time for active operations on the plaster strewn over the layers, salt, soot, ashes, rotting straw, hay, &c We had, when farming, a small sink, two or three feet deep, ten feet long and eight feet wide, at a convenient disvard. In the bottom was put weeds or straw, leaves from the lawn and gar-den, and a cart load of wood's mold or sods from head-lands; on this was buckete, soap suds, old brine, soot,

apart to be improved in this way. It was spread heavily on the poorer spots and less so on those places which were more fertile. Thus treated, there was never any offensive smell or unpleasantness ema-nating from this sink, which was not unsightly, though it was so situated as to be as much out of view as possible. Our farm diary will show for years that, from this little source, an aver-

> If you design to use lime or marl. now is a good time to spread it on the grass lands, or on newly plowed land

for crop the coming spring. Haul out manure and spread it at any time you have the opportunity. Do not wait for it to be perfectly rotted. Coarse ma-nure spread lightly over grass land now

the mixing of eight pounds clover, one bushel of orchard or rye grass, and one peck of red top, or a half gallon of timothy seed, though it would have been better to have sown timothy when the wheat was sown. It is a good plan to sow grass seeds on a light snow, or when the snow has nearly gone and is S.R. Stephens & Co's when the snow has nearly gone and is soft. If not, and the ground is open and dry, sow the seeds, harrow them in lightly and roll Under some circum-

be made to secure a good set. FENCING -Repair old and make new

STOCK OF ALL KINDS.

of wholesome water, some salt, enough grain, plenty of provender, and keep them clean, dry and comfortably warm, allowing open-air exercise in all good weather —Maryland Farmer.

TRY EXPERIMENTS .- Few things tend to infuse life and interest in one's oc-cupation more than the trying of experiments. Farmers, who can,try experiments in a small way and note accurately the time and expense incurred in making them. If this were done by active, energetic farmers, and LADIES' COATINGS

5th Of Ladies' Coatings—Blue, Black and Gold Mixed Water-Proof Beaver Cloths &c., from \$1.00 to \$1.75.

GUNS AND PISTOLS

due by active, energetic farmers, and deed," said the fond mother. "When they would communicate the result to the yould communicate the result to the columns of the agricultural press, it would add yearly to the general fund of agricultural knowledge. Of course all the experiments one undertakes cannot be expected to give satisfactory pecuniary results,—but they will give scope to thought and enterprise, and benefit mankind. Step by step we will find ourselves advancing in the art of his will can't fix it now no way; I'm to have "Well give me to have" "Well give me to have "Well give me t better farming, and success will be sure to crown our latter efforts.—Rural World.

TWELVE RULES FOR SUCCESSFUL FARMING.—1. Drain and irrigate. 2. Plow deep and loosen the subsoil. 3 Provide good storage for solid manure, and cisterns for the manure. 4. Choose commercial fertilizers intelligently, and simply because others have used it. 5.
Manure every crop which benefits by
it, and manure high. 6. Cultivate only safe, paying crops, and select the best seed for these. 7. Cultivate every crop upon your fields, and in proper rota-tion. 8. Cultivate more and better fodder. 9. Feed plentifully and of the best fodder. 10. Breed stock, and let not mere accident control the increase.

11. Support breeding and feeding by proper care 12. Keep accounts —
Translated from Landwirthschattlichen Kalander, 1875. We detest a second leave-taking It

confuses the clear echo of the first

Bumorous.

SCHNEIDER'S TOMATOES.—Schneider is very foud of tomatoes. Schneider has a friend in the country who raises "garden sass, and sieh." Schneider had an invitation to visit his friend last summer, and regale himself on his favor-ite vegetable. His friend Pieffer being busy negotiating with a city produce dealer on his arrival, Schneider thought he would take a stroll in the garden, and see some of his favorites in their pristine beauty. We will let him tell the rest of his story in his own language:

"Vell, I valks shust a liddle shile

roundt vhen I sees some of dose derroundt when I sees some of dose der-marters, vot vas so red und nice as I nefer dit see any more, und I dinks I will put minself outside about a gouble a tozen, shust to geet me a liddle ab-berdite vor dinner. So I bulls off von of der reddest und pest looking of dose dermarters und dakes a pooty good bite out ov dot, und vas chewing it oup pooty quick, vhen—by shiminy!—I dort I hat a peese of red hot goals in mine mout, or vas chewing oup dwo or dree bapers of needles; und I velt so pad, already, det mine eyes vas vool of tears; und I mate vor an 'olt oken bucket, vot I seen hangin' in der vell,

as I vas gooming along.
"Shust den mine friend Pfeiffer game farm will soon be upon us, and we should be prepared for it, by embracing every opportunity this month in encouraging preliminary matters, and first as to manure. Increase as much as you und den I ask him vot kind of demartics. can the manure piles. Keep it under ters dose vas vot I shust peen picking cover, or covered with earth from the und he said dot dose vas red bebbers do

> Some Men are that Way.—The other day a lady on a conducterless street car handed her ticket to a man who sat opposite, and he received it with a blank look, turned it over and over and said:

Yes, I guess that's a good ticket. She motioned toward the ticket-box and he looked that way and replied : Got it of the driver, eh? Well l suppose it's all right!

Please put it in the box, she whis In the box ? Why, of course I will, I am always willing to oblige any one and I am glad I can be of service to

you.

After disposing of the ticket he took his seat and said.

There, madam, your ticket is in the box, and now if I can do anything else to oblige, please command me. She blushed and looked this way and that, and he continued.

Don't be backward, madam. If there is any question you want to ask just speak right up!
She pulled the bell and started for the door and he said.

At the Store formerly Occupied by Hanson & Bro.,

Why, why didn't you ask me to pull the bell? I would have cheerfully pulled it with the greatest vigor!—
Free Press.

HIS Boy's QUESTION .- The other day Detroiter who has a good record of army service took down his revolver to shoot a cat which had been hanging around the house. After looking at him while he fired six shots the cat walked away. While he was loading up for more destruction, his boy in-

"I suppose so, my son."

After a long pause the boy contin-

you?"

It was then discovered to be about

HADN'T BEEN THERE. -In the office

bluntly asked : "Did you ever go to Europe?" "No, sir, I never did," was the reply.

stay at home and learn manners."

There was lots of silence around there after that A Good Voice .- "Madam, do you know that you possess one of the best voices in the world?" said a saucy fellow to a Division street woman one day

"Indeed, do you think so?" replied she, with a flush of pride at the compliment.
"I do, most certainly," continued the rascal, "for if you hadn't it would have been worn out long ago!"

For the first time in that woman's

life she hadn't a word to say .- Chicago A Danbury couple have a nice little

daughter of some five summers. A lady visitor observed to the mother: "What a pretty child you have! She must be a great comfort to you" "She is in-deed," said the fond mother. "When and tells him to get the coal, and other "Maria." observed Mr. Holcomb. as he was putting on his clothes, "there

busy." "Well, give me the patcht then, an' I'll carry it around with me, I don't want people to think I can' afford the cloth." "My son," said a stern parent to a seven-year-old hopeful. "I must discipline you. Your teacher says you are the worst boy in the school"
"Well, papa," was the reply, "only yesterday she said I was just like my father."

"I can't fix it now no way; I'm too

Two men seeing a naturalist in a field collecting insects, thus spoke of him:
"What's that gentleman?" "Why, he's a naturalist." "What's that?"

Openante Rail Road Denot "Why, one who catches gnats, to be "Oh, we don't mind the fourth

on, we don't mind the fourth story," said a Congressman's wife in choosing Washington lodgings the other day; "we can go up and down in the ventilator."

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RICHARD TOWNSEND,
Administrator, C. T. A.
Address—Townsend, Del. fe5—2m

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WHERE TO BUY PHILADELPHIA New Castle County, December 21st, 1875
Upon the application of Leonard V. Aspril and Charles B. Lore, Executors of JUHN ATHERLY, late of St. Georges Hundred, in said County, deceased, it is ordered and directed by the Register that the Executors aforesaid give notice of the granting of Letters Testamentary upon the Estate of the decensed, with the date of granting thereof, by causing advertisements to be posted within forty days from the date of such Letters, in six of the most public places of the County of New Castle, requiring all persons having demands against the Estate to present the same or abide an Act of Assembly in such case made and provided; and also cause the same to be inserted within the same period in the MIDDLETOWN TRANSCRIPT, a newspaper pub-

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ANN E. LORD, Executrix.

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Georges Hundred in said county, deceased, it
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thrown the ashes, contents of house sweepings of poultry house and yards, and from the lawn and the varied accumulations of dirt about the premises. Every few days it was whitened with plaster or slacked lime, and occasion-ally leveled and another layer of earth added. In three months, usually, it was all hauled out and spread on ground se

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